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WEST (USPT, PGPB), Agricola, Caplus, Biosis; Inventor names; SEQ ID NOs: 1 and 2; PCT/EP04/51022; EPO 03076719.8.	11/26/07	VK
Robert Wax (TAQS) agreed that recitations "improving" and "increasing" in claim 22 are not indefinite.	11/26/2007	VK
Robert Wax (TQAS) agreed that claim 22 does not read on a method that is practiced in nature.	1/9/2008	VK
Robert Wax agreed to suggest (not object) Applicant to change "a nucleic acid" in claim 22 to --an isolated nucleic acid.	1/9/2008	VK